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Subject: Work Plan for Additional Off-Property Investigation
Former McKesson Facility
Santa Fe Springs, California 90670

Dear Ms. Parnass:

This letter describes the additional activities that will be performed to further evaluate the presence of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) in groundwater downgradient of the former McKesson facility. This letter was prepared in response to a request by the California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) in a meeting between DTSC and McKesson on 19 October 2006.

In our most recent off-property report,¹ Geosyntec identified a narrow zone of higher VOC concentrations (>1,000 ug/L) downgradient from the former McKesson facility and concluded that further investigation was warranted to evaluate the extent of VOCs off-property. Based on this conclusion, Geosyntec recommended the additional investigation described in this letter.

SCOPE OF WORK

Based on the results of the groundwater samples collected downgradient of the Site in December 2004 and January 2005, two additional transects of CPT soundings and multi-level groundwater sampling will be conducted at the eight locations (CPT-31

¹ GeoSyntec Consultants, Inc., 2005, *Off-Property Investigation Report, Former McKesson Facility, 9005 Sorensen Avenue, Santa Fe Springs, California*. 3 May 2005.

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through CPT-38) shown on Figure 1. The work will be conducted in accordance with the Off-Site Groundwater Investigation Work Plan dated 21 May 2004² and approved by DTSC in a letter dated 21 July 2004.³

At least two groundwater samples will be collected from each location using a Hydropunch® groundwater sampler. One sample will be collected at the depth of first groundwater and a second sample will be collected at the next depth interval that exhibits higher pore pressures. Groundwater samples will be analyzed for VOCs by EPA Method 8260B.

Following completion of field activities, a report describing the findings of the additional investigation will be prepared for submittal to the DTSC.

SCHEDULE

An estimated schedule for the work described above is presented in Figure 2. The actual schedule will depend on the date of access to the street granted by the City of Santa Fe Springs.

² GeoSyntec Consultants, Inc., 2004, *Off-Site Groundwater Investigation Work Plan, Former McKesson Facility, 9005 Sorensen Avenue, Santa Fe Springs, California*. 21 May 2004.

³ DTSC, 2004, *Off-Site Groundwater Investigation Work Plan, Former McKesson Chemical Company Site*. 21 July 2004.

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If you have any questions or require further information, please call the undersigned at
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Lisa Van Tassell".

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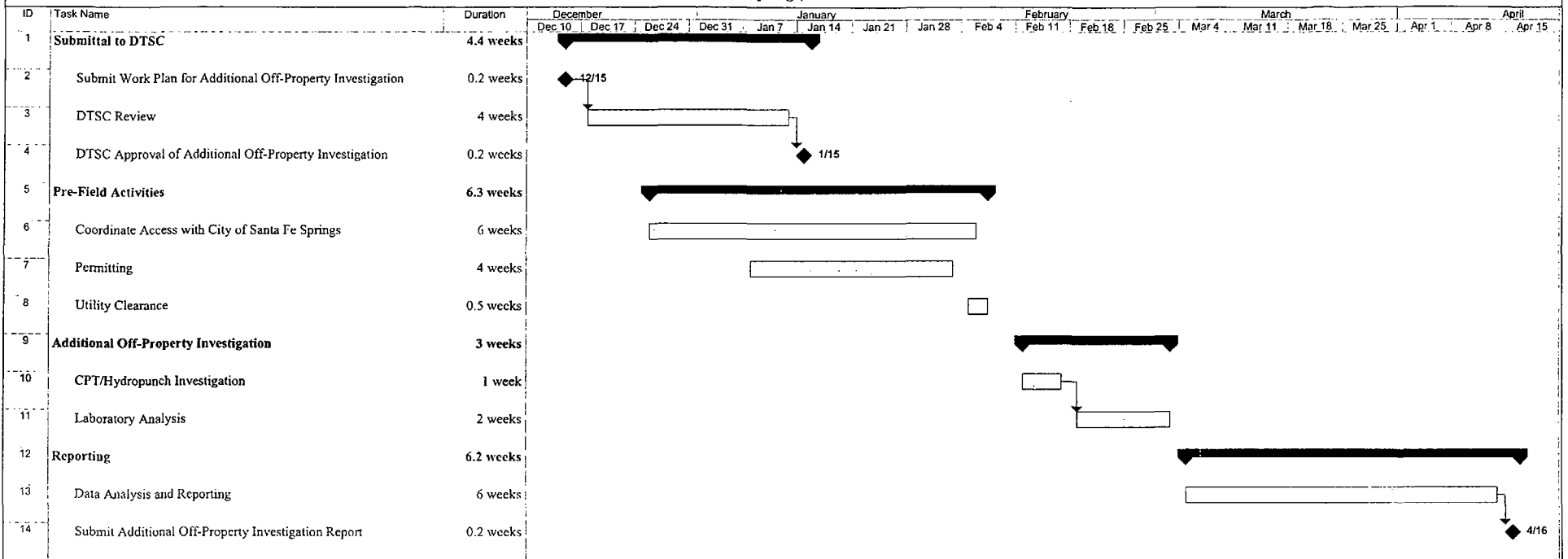
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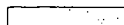
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Figure 2
Project Schedule - Additional Off-Property Investigation
Former McKesson Facility
Santa Fe Springs, California



Project: Former McKesson Facility
 Date: 12/8/2006

Task



Progress



Summary



External Tasks



Deadline



Split



Milestone



Project Summary



External Milestone

